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To: Matthew W. Hart, Town Manager

From: Essie S. Labrot, Town Clerk/Council Clerk *Essie S. Labrot*

The Town Council at its meeting held on January 28, 2020 set for public hearing on March 10, 2020 at 6:45 p.m. in the Legislative Chamber and referred to Town Plan and Zoning and Capitol Region Council of Governments the Ordinance Reducing the Number of Parking Spaces Required in a Food Truck Area.

WHEREAS, food trucks have substantially grown in popularity over the past decade; and

WHEREAS, food trucks and food truck parks bring diverse dining options to residents and workers in areas where dining options are limited or inconvenient; and

WHEREAS, having adopted an ordinance permitting food truck and food truck parks, the Town of West Hartford would like to allow greater access to food trucks and food truck parks by requiring fewer parking spaces for each seat in the food truck seating area;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF WEST HARTFORD THAT:

Section 177-37.4(B), entitled Operations, of the Code of the Town of West Hartford is amended as follows:

(6) Patron parking must be provided at a rate of one space for every [three] five seats in any seating area provided. The patron parking area must be a paved or gravel surface.

cc: Dallas Dodge, Corporation Counsel
Mark McGovern, Director of Community Services
Todd Dumais, Town Planner
Kristen Gorski, Economic Development Specialist
Kevin Ahern, Chairman Town Plan and Zoning Commission
Caitlin Palmer, Capitol Region of Council Governments